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AMENDMENTS TO SPECIFICATION

On page 5, the second full paragraph is amended to read:

The air duct 15 is connected to the first way of provided with a first three-way electrovalve 16, whose remaining two ways are connected respectively one to the outside environment through a suction pipe 33 that has the end 35 open and the other to a second three-way electrovalve 14 through an intermediate pipe 31 that communicates with electovalve 14 via a third way thereof.

On page 5, the third full paragraph is amended to read:

The remaining second and first two ways of said second electrovalve 14 are respectively in their turn connected one to said steam duct 13 and the other to [[a]] the steam source 27 through a steam supply dispensing pipe 29.

On page 5, the fourth full paragraph is amended to read:

In such way, according to the opening or closing condition of said electrovalves 14, 16 one and/or the other of said ducts 13, 15 can be put in communication with said steam source 27 or duct 15 put in communication with air from with the outside environment.

On page 5, the fifth full paragraph is amended to read:

Specifically In-particular, thanks to the intermediate pipe 31 that connects the two electrovalves 14, 16, it is possible to introduce steam into the liquid to be heated through either both said ducts 13, 15, or, alternatively, to simultaneously introduce into said liquid steam only through duct 13 and air through duct 15.

On page 6, the last paragraph spanning pages 6 and 7 is amended to read:

Said control unit 51 comprises a selector 53 onto which the user can select the kind of wanted drink. The selection carried out onto the selector 53 controls a microprocessor 55, provided with a storage (memory) 57, within which the data relevant to the operating cycle corresponding to each possible user's selection are stored.